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COUNTY OF SHASTA

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

AARON BUSTAMANTE, an individual,

Plaintiff,

v.

COUNTY OF SHASTA; ROBERT BALK, in
his individual capacity as a Probation Officer
of the COUNTY OF SHASTA; JUSTIN
KNIGHT in his individual capacity as a
Probation Officer of the COUNTY OF
SHASTA; and DOES 1-20 inclusive,

Defendants.

Case No. 2:23-CV-01552-TLN-DMC

**STIPULATION AND ORDER TO
EXTEND COUNTY OF SHASTA'S
TIME TO FILE AN ANSWER**

Judge: Hon. Troy L. Nunley
Trial Date: Not set
Action Filed: July 28, 2023

STIPULATION

On, August 5, 2024, the Court granted Defendant County of Shasta's ("County") Motion to Dismiss Plaintiff Aaron Bustamante's ("Plaintiff") First Amended Complaint (Dkt No. 26) ("Order").

Pursuant to the Court's Order, Plaintiff was given leave to amend, and was ordered to file his Second Amended Complaint ("SAC") within thirty days after the filing of the Order. Defendant County was given twenty-one (21) days from the filing of Plaintiff's SAC to file a responsive pleading.

On September 3, 2024, Plaintiff filed his SAC. Thus, the County's responsive pleading is currently due on September 24, 2024.

Counsel for Plaintiff and the County are currently meeting and conferring about whether the County will file a motion to dismiss the SAC, but need additional time to thoroughly discuss the substance of such a motion and any potential resolution. Plaintiff's counsel is currently out of state which complicates the meet and confer process.

Given the foregoing, the parties believe it is in the best interest to continue the deadline for the County to file its response to the SAC. A short one week extension, until October 1, 2024, will not prejudice any of the parties.

Based on the foregoing, the parties STIPULATE as follows:

The time for the County to file an answer to the Second Amended Complaint shall be extended to October 1, 2024.

The Parties agree that this Stipulation may be e-signed to facilitate filing the document with the Court.

IT IS SO STIPULATED.

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1 Dated: September 18, 2024

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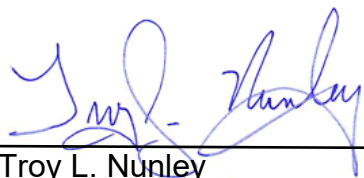
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25 IT IS SO ORDERED.

26 Dated: September 19, 2024

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28 Troy L. Nunley
Chief United States District Judge

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